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APPLICANT : KAARTINEN, NIILO
SERIAL NUMBER : 10/666,305
FILED : SEPTEMBER 18, 2003
FOR : QUANTITATIVE DOSING OF SMALL AMOUNTS
OF LIQUID
ART UNIT : 3754
EXAMINER : LIEN M NGO

AMENDMENT

TO: COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS
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SIR:

Applicant graciously acknowledges the indication of allowable subject matter in the Office Action dated July 10, 2006, as it relates to Claims 1-4, 9 and 10, and 18-21. Applicant submits this amendment with respect to the remaining rejected claims in an effort to place them in a condition for allowance also. Applicant requests and would welcome a telephone conference with the Examiner after the Examiner has had an opportunity to review this amendment, and in particular with respect to the Examiner's review of the previously